

# FAY, SHARPE, FAGAN, MINNICH & MCKEE, LLP

PATENT TRADEMARK AND COPYRIGHT LAW  
1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE  
SEVENTH FLOOR  
CLEVELAND, OHIO 44114-2579  
TELEPHONE (216) 861-5582  
FAX (216) 241-1666 AND (216) 241-5147

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

FEB 11 2005

DATE: February 11, 2005

TO: U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

ATTENTION: Examiner Jeffrey A. Shapiro, Art Unit: 3653

FACSIMILE NO.: 1-703-872-9306

FROM: Jay F. Moldovanyi

RE: U.S. Serial No. 09/780,826

Our Ref. No.: MAFZ 2 00063

Total number of pages (including this cover sheet): 34

Please call us immediately at (216) 861-5582 if the telecopy you receive is incomplete or illegible. Our facsimile numbers are (216) 241-1666 and (216) 241-5147.

The documents accompanying this facsimile transmission include information from the firm of Fay, Sharpe, Fagan, Minnich & McKee, LLP that might be legally privileged and/or confidential. The information is intended for the use of only the individual or entity named on this cover sheet. If you are not the intended recipient, any disclosure, copying, or distribution of these documents, or the taking of any action based on the contents of this transmission, is prohibited. If you have received this transmission in error, these documents should be returned to this firm as soon as possible, and we ask that you notify us immediately by telephone or we can arrange for their return to us without cost to you.

Attorney Docket No.: MAFZ 2 00063

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Ser. No.: 09/780,826	Filed: February 9, 2001	Examiner: Jeffrey A. Shapiro
Art Unit: 3653	Title: COIN SEPARATOR AND SORTER ASSEMBLY	

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith is an *Amendment* in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims remaining after amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	No. of Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Rate
Total Claims	53	Minus	47	6	X \$25	\$150.00
Indep. Claims	12	Minus	11	1	X \$100	\$100.00
TOTAL					=	\$250.00

- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is attached.
- ☒ Charge \$250.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-0308 for the additional claims fee.
- ☒ Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and request a **one month extension of time** to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Charge \$55.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-0308 for the one month extension of time fee.
- ☐ Applicants request any extensions of time that may be necessary and authorize the required fees be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully submitted,  
FAY, SHARPE, FAGAN,  
MINNICH & MCKEE, LLP

11 Feb 2005  
Date

*Jay F. Moldovanyi*  
Jay F. Moldovanyi, Reg. No. 29,678  
1100 Superior Avenue, Seventh Floor  
Cleveland, OH 44114-2579  
216/861-5582

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

- I certify that this Amendment Transmittal Letter and accompanying document(s) are being
- ☐ deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8, addressed to: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date indicated below.
- ☒ transmitted to facsimile number 703-872-9306 and to Examiner Jeffrey A. Shapiro, Art Unit 3653 at 703-746-3851 under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 on the date indicated below.
- ☐ deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on the date indicated below and is addressed to: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner For Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Express Mail Label No.:	Signature <i>Kathleen A. Nimrichter</i>
Date February 11, 2005	Printed Name Kathleen A. Nimrichter

N:\MAFZ\200063\US\KAN0003410V001.doc

N:\MAFZ\200063\US\KAN0003410V001.DOC

PATENT

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

FEB 11 2005

IN RE APPLICATION OF : Jerzy Perkitny  
FOR : COIN SEPARATOR AND SORTER  
ASSEMBLY  
SERIAL NO. : 09/780,826  
FILED : February 9, 2001  
EXAMINER : Jeffrey A. Shapiro  
LAST OFFICE ACTION : February 25, 2004  
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. : MAF 2 0063

Cleveland, Ohio 44114-2518  
February 11, 2005

**FOURTH AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 12, 2004, please amend the  
above-captioned patent application as follows:

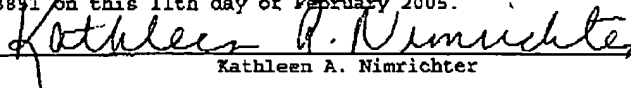
Amendments to the specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 17.

**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION**

I hereby certify that this Amendment is being forwarded to the U.S. Patent and Trademark  
Office, via facsimile at 703-872-9306 and to Examiner Jeffrey A. Shapiro, Art Unit 3653, via  
facsimile at 703-746-3891 on this 11th day of February 2005.

  
Kathleen A. Nimrichter